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§ ART UNIT: APPLICANT: Russell & Connell

**EXAMINER:** 09/825,105 SERIAL NO.:

FOR: Chimeric Antigen-Enterotoxin Mucosal DOCKET: Mucosal Immunogens

The Honorable Commissioner of Patents **BOX NON-FEE AMENDMENT** Washington, D.C. 20231

> PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME AND CERTIFICATE OF MAILING UNDER 37 CFR 1.8

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), Applicant hereby petitions that the period for response to the Office Action in the above-referenced patent application mailed August 26, 2002 be extended for three (3) months to and including February 26, 2003. Please debit the \$465 extension fee from Deposit Account 07-1185 on which the undersigned is allowed to draw.

I hereby certify under 37 CFR 1.8 that the following correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail with sufficient postage on the date indicated below and is addressed to Honorable Commissioner for Patents, BOX NON-FEE AMENDMENT, Washington DC 20231. Please return the enclosed postcard acknowledging receipt of this correspondence.

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